

Markfield is an inclusive community hub where people can play, socialise and get information & support. We provide a range of services for disabled children, young people, adults and their families

# Autumn Term 2020: Training courses for parents and carers at the Markfield centre and online

## **Developmental Movement Play**

At Markfield community centre
9:45am to 2.45pm, crèche available, lunch provided
Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2020

- For parents and carers of children with communication difficulties to support sensory integration, communication skills and co-ordination
- Being a positive communication role model for a child, and tackling unwanted behaviours
- Demonstration and practice of play activities

#### **Introduction to Makaton**

Online training via ZOOM 10am to 2.30 with breaks Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> October 2020

- A practical introduction to the Makaton signing system, focusing on positive, practical communication with your child
- For parents/carers of children or adults with additional needs in speech and language

## Positive Behaviour Management Part 1 and 2

Online training via ZOOM 10am to 2.30pm with breaks
Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> November 2020

- Part 1 is about understanding behaviour to equip participants with models for understanding and tools for assessing different kinds of behaviour
- Part 2 looks at strategies and resources for promoting positive behaviour and managing challenging behaviour

## **Communication Passport**

Online training via ZOOM 10am to 1pm Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2020

 A 'Communication Passport' is a way of sharing knowledge of how to meet your child's needs. This is a course for parents to help you to create one tailored for your child. There is a £15 charge for us to create the finished Communication Passport book for you - which you can then take away to use for your child's school, afterschool clubs, and other settings

#### **Understanding Autism**

Online training via ZOOM 10am to 2.30 with breaks Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2020

- For parents who had a fairly recent diagnosis of autism for their child
- To discuss the autism diagnosis; learn more about autism and communication needs and get access to support
- The course is designed by the National Autistic Society

#### Communication and Visual Aids

At Markfield community centre 9:45am to 2.45pm, crèche available, lunch provided **Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2020** 

- An introduction to a wide range of visual aids
- For parents and carers of children with communication difficulties to support behaviour and independence
- Useful and practical ideas and making visual aids using a computer programme

## Understanding the SEN System

Online training via ZOOM 10am to 2.30pm with breaks
Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2020

- Key principles of the Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) Code of Practice, covering levels of SEND provision in schools, setting targets, the Education Health Care Plan application process and Annual Reviews
- What the Local Authority and schools have a duty to provide and what parent/carers can expect

## Requesting an EHC Needs Assessment

Online training via ZOOM 10am to 12pm Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2020

An overview of the process of requesting a Education Health & Care needs assessment for a child with special needs

# Personal Budgets for Short Breaks Online training via ZOOM 10am to 12pm Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2020

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Understand the system in Haringey for personal budgets for disabled children, the assessment process, your choices and rights, how support should be provided and by whom

#### **EHC Plan Annual Reviews**

Online training via ZOOM 10am to 12pm Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> December 2020

Giving an on overview of the Annual Review process for Education Health Care Plans and to signpost you to legislation and guidance within the SEND Code of Practice, and guidance on how to make the most of the review

#### Training costs

FREE for parents/carers of children and young people with additional needs living in Haringey. For others: please contact us for prices

#### Training times

Varies - please see individual courses

#### For online training courses

These courses will be delivered via the online ZOOM application.
(If you need support with setting up ZOOM please let us know when booking) You will be emailed a link. Please log in a few minutes before the start time.

For face-to-face training at Markfield:

#### Refreshments

Tea & coffee is provided Lunch is provided for those courses finishing at 2:45pm

#### Crèche

Crèche places must be booked in advance (places are limited)

#### Venue:

(for the face-to-face courses)
Markfield Community Centre
Markfield Park,
Markfield Road
N15 4RB

### How to get to Markfield

Walking: via Crowland Road and through
Markfield Park, or via Markfield Road
(see map below)
Car: via Markfield Road
(there are LIMITED free parking places
next to the centre)

Tube: Seven Sisters, Tottenham Hale

**Bus:** 41, 76, 123, 149, 243, 259, 279, 318

**Overground train:** South Tottenham, Seven Sisters, Tottenham Hale



## To book your place

Please email or telephone our Family Support Administrator

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(Leave a message and we will get back to you)